## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Transport Department – Allegation of corruption against Sri B.Prabhakar, Tr.Constable O/o Shapur Check Post, Rangareddy District - Punishment of "stoppage of two annual grade increments with cumulative effect" imposed—Appeal filed – Allowed – Orders – Issued.

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TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (VIG.III.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No. 80,

Dated: 18.01.2014. Read the following:

1. Proc.R.No. 21571/X1/1995, dt. 02.07.1999 of Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

- 2. Appeal of Sri B.Prabhakar, Tr.Constable, Dt 05.10.1999.
- 3. Govt. Memo No.17384/Tr.I/1/1999-4, Dt. 11.09.2003 of Transport, Roads & Buildings Department.
- 4. Representation of Sri B.Prabhakar,Tr.Constable, O/o Shapur Check Post, Rangareddy District, Dt. Nil.
- 5. Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad Lr. No.13541/V3/V2/1999, Dt. 14.02.2013.

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## ORDER:

In the proceedings 1<sup>st</sup> read above, on the allegation of Corruption and irregularities, the Transport Commissioner, has imposed punishment of "stoppage of two annual grade increments with cumulative effect" against Sri B.Prabhakar, Transport Constable and two others.

- 2. Against the said punishment in the representation 2<sup>nd</sup> read above Sri B.Prabhakar, Transport Constable had filed appeal and the same was rejected in the memo 3<sup>rd</sup> read above.
- 3. B.Prabhakar, Transport Constable Sri in his representation 4<sup>th</sup> read above has filed a review petition that while the appeal of the co.charged officer Sri S.Ashok Reddy, AMVI is allowed who is charged with the similar charges and in respect of the another co. charged officer Sri Nayeemuddin, Transport Constable based on the orders of APAT, the punishment was set aside; that the punishment cannot vary and equal treatment should have been given to him on par with the other two co.charged officers and therefore requested to set aside the punishment.
- 4. The Transport Commissioner, A.P., Hyderabad in his letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above have stated that the charges framed against both the charged officers i.e., Sri B.Prabhakar and Sri Nayeemuddin, Tr.Constables are one and the same and even the Enquiry Officer in his enquiry report held that the Transport Constable was not directly responsible for the things happened at the time of check; that based on the findings of Enquiry Officer, the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal in its judgement dt. 30.03.2007 filed by Sri Md.Nayeemuddin, has stated that " in all fairness the punishment should have been levelled equally on both the delinquent officers or the punishment should have been set aside for both the delinquents Officer."

- 5. Government after careful examination of the matter has observed that the Transport Constables works under the officers to whom he was attached and he has no independent job to act and he acts only as per the instructions of his officers to whom he was attached and therefore decided to allow the representation of Sri B.Prabhakar, Transport Constable and to avoid legal problems.
- 6. Accordingly, Government hereby allow the review petition and set aside the punishment imposed on Sri B. Prabhakar, Tr.Constable vide proceedings  $1^{st}$  read above and dropped further action against him.
- 7. The Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

D. LAKSHMI PARTHASARATHY, SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri B.Prabhakar, Transport Constable through the Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad. Copy to Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Secretariat, Hyderabad. SF/SC.

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